GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT
LOK SABHA

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Central and State Shares in Mid-Day-Meal
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Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the ratio of funds shared between Centre and the State Governments for funding the Mid- Day-Meal Scheme in the schools in the country along with any changes made/proposed in the ratio;

(b) the amount of funds released by the Government to Uttar Pradesh Government for the said purpose along with the funds incurred by the State Government during the last three years including current year; and

(c) whether the Government recently held meetings with the State Governments with regard to the said scheme and if so, the details thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT
(SMT. SMRITI ZUBIN IRANI)

(a): The ratio of sharing of funds between Centre and the State Governments for the Mid Day Meal Scheme was 75:25 for non-NER States / UTs and 90:10 for NER States till
2014-15. The Central Government has decided that the sharing pattern of Mid Day Meal Scheme will be in the ratio of 60:40 for non-NER States, 100% for UTs and 90:10 for NER States and 3 Himalayan States w. e. f. 2015-16.

(b): The funds released to Government of Uttar Pradesh and utilized by the State Government during the last three years including current year under Mid Day Meal Scheme is as under:

(Rs. in lakh)
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Year Release Expenditure

2012-13 132113.69 110536.65
2013-14 120750.57 115316.06
2014-15 105142.49 117628.94
2015-16 67478.43 65715.38
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(c): The Central Government had meetings with State Governments at Aurangabad and Amritsar on 11th July, 2015 and 16th September, 2015 respectively to review the performance of the Mid Day Meal Scheme.
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